



ALASKA AIR CARRIERS ASSOCIATION

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Board of Directors for 2022-2023

April 14, 2022

Matt Atkinson
President
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RE: Docket FAA-2019-0049

Susan Hoshaw
Vice President
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The petitioner, Alaska Air Carriers Association, requests an extension of exemption 18544, issued April 20, 2020, Docket Number FAA-2019-0049.

Scott Habberstad
Secretary
ALASKA AIRLINES

The rationale for the original request has not changed. Material safety benefits are still valid with respect to the implementation of Class C TAWS in lieu of Class B TAWS for the listed Carriers. New technologies are currently being investigated by FAA and Industry groups, but none of those technologies has been fully developed and approved as of this date.

Wilfred Ryan
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AK AIR TRANSIT

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SMOKEY BAY AIR

Additional Carriers within our organization have recognized the safety benefit provided by the exemption and would like to participate. These additions will help to further mitigate the risks identified in the original petition. Those carriers include:

Bryan Miller
DASH

Dan Knesek
GRANT AVIATION

Brien Salazar
TAQUAN

Erica Sjöroos
Alaska Seaplanes

Joel Heining
Assured Partners

Alan Larson
TRANSNORTHERN

Scott VanValin
ISLAND AIR EXPRESS

- Kavan Air LLC certificate number 3KVA561N
- Tatonduk Outfitters LTD certificate number FXGA030A
- Ward Air Inc., certificate number HXRA211E

No additional changes to the previously granted exemption are sought at this time. Alaska Air Carriers requests renewal of Grant of Exemption 18544 with all prior stipulations.

Executive Director

Jane Dale
ALASKA AIR
CARRIERS
ASSOCIATION

AACA appreciate your assistance in this matter. If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact Jane Dale at 907-277-0071 or by cell phone at 907-717-6724 or email to director@alaskaaircarriers.org.

Sincere regards.

Matt Atkinson
President, AACA

Jane Dale
Executive Director, AACA